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1. Work on Object 11 of Wismut A.G. was being done at Truenzig, 2.5 km north of Teichwolframsdorf. The project included all operations and construction work required prior to the beginning of uranium ore mining proper, which was to be undertaken by Agency No. 90 in Gera. A total of 600 to 700 men including road construction workers were employed at Object 11, which was supervised by Russian chief engineer, Mityodkin. Work was started in the Schwarzenberg area, then extended toward Saalfeld, and finally was being done at Truenzig. It was intended to extend the activities toward Zwickau. 50X1-HUM

2. [redacted] prospecting for uranium ore deposits has been resumed in the Schneeberg-Oberschlema area where it was originally begun at a time when relatively little experience was available in this field. Ore which was previously assayed as being too low-grade for profitable mining is being re-examined. All layers of the surface of the earth which contain magma are to be removed in the search for uranium ore.

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